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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.114, Applicants hereby request continued examination.

Applicants further request entry and consideration of the submission, an Amendment After Allowance, filed October 17, 2003. Should the Patent Office require another copy of the October 17, 2003 filing, please contact the undersigned.

The above-identified application was filed on or after June 8, 1995. Thus, entry is proper under 37 C.F.R. §1.114(d).

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